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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 841

By Cole (Dyer)

A RESOLUTION to honor and commend Mr. J.C. "Jay" Siegrist for
laudable service to the people of Tennessee.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should salute those persons who through their personal and professional efforts have distinguished themselves as community leaders of whom we can all be proud; and

WHEREAS, one such noteworthy person is J.C. "Jay" Siegrist, who has recently been elected as the 55th President of the Tennessee Road Builders Association (TRBA) at the association's annual meeting that took place in February, 2000; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Siegrist enters this highly regarded position after several years of meritorious service to the TRBA; prior to being elected President, he served with probity on the Board of Directors and served as the Association's Third Vice President, Second Vice President and Treasurer, and First Vice President; and

WHEREAS, a native of Nashville, Mr. Siegrist is a civic minded individual and a valued member of his community; and

WHEREAS, he was an exceptional student at Vanderbilt University and earned a Master's Degree in Environmental and Water Resources Engineering; and

WHEREAS, upon graduating, Jay Siegrist began his estimable professional career; he worked for the Corps of Engineers, Vanderbilt University, and as a Consulting Engineer; and

WHEREAS, subsequently, in 1977, Mr. Siegrist joined Eller and Olsen Stone Company, a Nashville company that produces crushed stone for the road building industry; and

WHEREAS, this remarkable man earned the respect of his clients, the administration, and co-workers for the superior quality of his work; he served with acumen as the company's Vice President and Secretary; and

WHEREAS, in 1982, he became President of the prominent company; his astute management skills, professional excellence, dedication to hard work, and commitment to quality have made Jay Siegrist an expert leader for the company; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Siegrist epitomizes the spirit and commitment that is characteristic of a true Tennessean; and

WHEREAS, this General Assembly finds it appropriate to pause in its deliberations to acknowledge and applaud Jay Siegrist for his dedication to the state of Tennessee and its citizens; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, That we hereby honor Mr. J.C. "Jay" Siegrist for his service to the state of Tennessee, salute him on being elected President of the Tennessee Road Builders Association, and extend to him our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.